

## **Electronic Prescription Records System Workgroup**

### ***Draft Recommendations Subgroup***

*February 6, 2019*

*Meeting Summary*

Key discussion items include:

- The Draft Recommendations Subgroup (subgroup) reviewed key themes and a preliminary list of informal draft recommendations organized by the following key categories: technical infrastructure; providers, dispensers, and consumers; privacy and security; and governance and funding.
- Recommendations related to technical infrastructure highlight the capability of CRISP and collaboration opportunities with other vendors to support non-CDS; a phased-in implementation approach; and need to ensure adequate privacy and security controls.
- Recommendations for providers, dispensers, and consumers center on ensuring that reporting and accessing non-CDS data is built into existing workflows and consumer education, particularly as it relates to opt-out. The importance of a consumer education strategy for non-CDS was noted to detail the benefits and potential risks of opting-out.
- Privacy and security recommendations focus on development of oversight regulations for non-CDS that build upon existing federal and State privacy laws.
- Governance and funding recommendations focus on excluding oversight of non-CDS under the existing PDMP, engaging an independent third party to conduct a financial impact assessment, and identifying a sustainable funding source to support non-CDS long-term.
- *There is no upcoming meeting scheduled for March. The MHCC is preparing version 2 of the draft recommendations document to include supporting rationale. The document will be distributed for review in the coming weeks; workgroup members are invited to provide written comments. A final draft report is expected to be shared with the workgroup in the spring.*